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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 17, 2008 (hereinafter "Office Action"), in the above-identified application, please accept the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.